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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Morning Meeting of 3 November 1967

DD/I noted that the paper for Secretary Nitze on the Soviet economic plan has been reworked into a Special Report for the Weekly Review.

Godfrey briefed on the latest developments in the Congo, noting inter alia the use of a C-130 to carry ANC troops into the area, the evacuation of dependents, and the generally stable character of the local governor. We still do not know the size or scope of the mercenary operation.

Godfrey discussed the military action at Loc Ninh. DDCI called attention to reports from Saigon carried in this morning's radio news media of Chinese Communist advisers to the Viet Cong in this area. Carver said that such reports have been endemic but in no case has the presence of Chinese advisers ever been confirmed.

DDCI called attention to a report from our Embassy in Belgrade on the articles in Borba concerning the Agency.

L. K. White

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